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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application
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1. Specification Total Pages 108
 2. Drawing(s) (35USC 113) Total Pages 36
 3. Declaration and Power of Attorney Total Pages 2
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 b. Copy from prior application (37CFR 1.63(d))
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 Signed statement attached deleting
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 4. Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 3b is checked)
 The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which
 copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 3b,
 is considered as being part of the disclosure of the
 accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by
 reference therein.

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

5. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documentation)
 6. Letter under 37 CFR 1.41(c).
 7. English Translation Document to follow (*if applicable*)
 8. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
 9. Preliminary Amendment
 10. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
 (*Should be specifically itemized*)
 11. Small Entity Statement filed in prior Application, Statement(s) Status still proper and desired
 12. Certified copy of Japanese priority document No.
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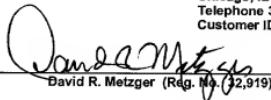
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RE: New U.S. Application for Letters Patent entitled
"INFORMATION TRANSMISSION/RECEPTION SYSTEM AND METHOD
AND INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD AND APPARATUS"
Applicant(s) Mototsugu Abe, et al.
Attorney Docket No. 09792909-5051

Dear Sir

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.41(c), I am filing the attached application, including 38 claims (10 independent), 36 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-42) and the filing fee of \$1,594.00 on behalf of

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and request that the application be assigned a serial number and filing date pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) and 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d).

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Drawings (36 sheets - Figs. 1-42)

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